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CROSSFIELD.

Local and General:

John Morrison exhibited 14 birds at the Lethbridge Poultry Show last week, 1st to 4th December, and he was successful in winning 13 prizes.

Geo. W. Hall, who has been at the "Girele N" Ranch for the past six months, has left this week to go back to his homestead at Hand Hills.

W. S. Smith, the City barber, is busy painting and renovating his shop and it will be quite a swell place when completed.

H. W. Lockwood, the late City Barber and little Leslie, accompanied by L. May left Crossfield on Sunday afternoon for the old country. Bert goes to Leeds, England, and L. May to Waterloo, near Liverpool. We wish them a safe journey and good luck. If the crowd that gave them a send off was anything to go by they sure got enough good wishes to last a long time.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Saturday, December 5th, at the home of Mrs. Berry. The following officers were elected:--President, Mrs. J. Grasley; Vice-President, Mrs. W. Laut; Sec.-Treas., Mrs. F. Laut; Executive- Mrs. C. Stafford; Mrs. R. S. Boyle, Mrs. Morrison. A library committee, Mrs. W. McRory, Mrs. W. Laut and Mrs. Grasley were appointed. They will get a number of the latest books as soon as possible in order that all may enjoy the benefit, derived from them particularly during the winter months.

I wish to notify my customers that from now on the Galt Coal will be sold at \$6.25 in car load lots \$6.50 off the car \$6.75 out of the sheds. The Brickettes will be sold at the same price. Terms strictly cash.

Yours truly,

IVOR LEWIS.

The time of Xmas Cheer has come again, and although "Peace on Earth" seems far away yet we can help to fulfil "Goodwill to men" but only as we try to help someone else. There are hundreds of little children in Calgary who go hungry every day. Boys and girls are being sent to school without breakfast because the home is destitute. What can we do to help? The Sunday School is planning to help a little. On Sunday the teachers will arrange with each class as to what their offering will be, and they will be asked to bring five or ten cents worth of groceries towards helping the hungry. Any contributions from children outside the Sunday School will be gladly received as well.

"What if your own were starving, Fainting with famine pain, Would you hear their wail as a three-fold tale And turn to your feast again?"

We have a number of clients wanting to rent Farms in the Crossfield and Carstairs districts. If you want to secure a good tenant for your Farm send a full description of land and buildings, amount in cultivation, water, fencing, terms, etc., to Hays Brothers, Carstairs, Alberta.

If you want to Sell your Land, List it with me at once Have numerous enquiries. If you require to renew your old Loan or take out a new one, call and see me, as I can save you money. I represent The Canada Life, and others.

Chas. Hultgren.

Xmas Headquarters.

JUST for fear you might overlook us, we beg to remind you that we are still to the front with complete assortments in our various lines suitable for Xmas giving.

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Second—**SILVERWARE**,

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Latest ideas in Carvers, Bread Knives, Razors, Pocket Knives, &c., &c.

We do not ask you to BUY EARLY but invite your early inspection before the lines become broken.

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Means the highest standard in Ribbed Underwear. We believe "Watsonwear" to be the best underwear "Made in Canada," because it wears best, fits best, washes best, and cost less for the quality than any other brand on the market.

Women's Union Suits, in fine Ribbed Wool, long arms, long legs, high neck, splendid fitting garment, specially good value. **\$1.75**
Other grades at **\$3.25 and \$2.50**

Watsonwear Union Suits for Children, all sizes from three years up, in a splendid heavy rib wool, at **\$1** a suit up.

Watsonwear, Fine Ribbed Pure White Fleece Vests, just the garment for the lady that cannot stand itching wool, all sizes **75c.**

Pants to match, same price

Watsonwear, Fine Ribbed Wool Vests, and Pants, guaranteed to wash without shrinking, fit right kind, **\$1.00**

Corsets, Bias Filled, The Proven Kind.

The kind that have been tried out in Crossfield, the kind that are comfortable, and improve the figure. We stand back of every pair and guarantee them to give satisfaction.

Price **\$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.50 to \$4.00**

Xmas Handkerchiefs :-

We have secured the sample line of a large jobber, that are sure classy & distinctive. 200 styles of Swiss Embroidered & Linen Embroidered, no two alike, at prices away below what you will pay for goods of this high class. We got a concession on the price of these samples, and pass them on to you at the low prices.

You will miss it on Handkerchiefs if you fail to see these at an early date
Prices **10c. to 75c.**

Children's beautiful Embroidered Silk Handkerchiefs **10c. up**

Souvenir Handkerchiefs just what you want for mailing to your friends

Souvenirs of Crossfield, "All Nation Flags," British & Canadian Flags, British and American Flags, made from fine Jap Silk **75c.**

Silk Waists :-

We have just received a nice lot of the latest in Waists, made up in Messaline and Crepe de Chine, beautiful dainty garments, chic styles, right up to the minute. **Price \$4.00 up.**

Lace Collars :-

New Shapes, new Patterns, White and Ecru, dainty yet serviceable, **35c. and up**

Beads :-

Everybody wears Beads, Jets, Flat Black, Amber Pearls & many others, long style and short style, **25c. up**

Metal Beds :

Just to move a few of these, we will **Reduce the Price from now till Xmas 25 per cent.** You save 1-4th

Groceries :-

Prepared Buckwheat Flour for Pancakes, all ready to stir in the milk or water, per package **20c., - 2 for 35c.**

Full pound package Fancy Seeded Raisins, new **15c.**

Fancy Seedless Raisins, full pound package, new **15c.**

Pop Corn, every kernel sure pop, per lb. **10c.**

Celery, C.B. quality, nicely bleached 3lb for **25c.**

Jap Oranges, No. 1 Grade, & wrapped 90 to the box **75c.**

Coal Oil, by the 5 gallon lot **33c.**

Make this Store your
Headquarters for
Xmas Supplies.

Halliday's

CROSSFIELD.

Your Money
Cheerfully
Refunded.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council
W. McTory, Sec. Treas.

Lodge Cards

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No. **42**
Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.
Visiting Brethren Welcome.
A. JESSEMAN, S. COLLINS,
Fin. Sec'y. Rec. Sec'y.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec. Treas. is in the Hardware Store next door to the Chronicle.

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FOR SALE - A "CAPITAL" CREAM SEPARATOR, and BARREL CHURN Price Reasonable. Apply Chronicle Office.

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Wanted to Buy, some Cattle and Mares. - Apply Chronicle Office.

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CROSSFIELD LOCAL & GENERAL.

A public meeting was held in the Fire Hall, Crossfield, on Monday evening for the nomination of three councillors for the Village Council. The following were nominated: W. Urquhart, Geo. McLeod, A. R. Thomas and S. Collins. An election will take place on Monday, December 14th, polling from 2 till 9 p.m. The votes will be counted and the result declared the same night.

Have you a vote, if not, why?

M. Mecklenburg, A.M., the reliable Eye Specialist will again visit the Drug Store, Crossfield, on Friday, December 11th. Airdrie on Saturday, Dec. 12th. If you have anything wrong with your eyes, or your glasses don't suit you come and see me.

There was some talk at the meeting on Monday night of reorganizing the Fire Brigade. Let us hope this will be done and a captain with the necessary go in him to make it a real live institution. Crossfield has indeed been lucky in the matter of fires, but there has been some very near shaves the last few weeks.

\$500 cash handles 100 acre Farm well improved with buildings, etc. Ten years plan, 6 percent interest, and only 4 1/2 miles from town. Write or call for further particulars.
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Local Train Service.

North Bound	1-14
"	9-10
"	10-38
South Bound	5-38
"	13-47
"	20-40

Estray Notice.

On the Premises of D. J. McFadyen N.E. 1/4 Sec. 2, Twp. 20, Range 1, W. 4th Mer., One Dark BAY MARE COLT, about four years, weight 1,200 lbs. Has white left hind foot and little white between nostrils. Branded **MC** on left side.

Rural Municipality of Rosebud No. 280.

A meeting at the Tan-y-Bryn School, was held on Monday afternoon for the nomination of councillors: Div. 1 J. A. Copley was elected by acclamation, Div. 2 Capt. N. J. Wigle was also elected. For Div. 3 L. N. Casey and H. P. Marton were nominated. Div. 4 A. L. Dorch and H. Wood were nominated. Div. 5 David Pearson was elected, and for Div. 6 Chas. Sterns was the choice of the meeting. There was a good turn out at the meeting and each of the councillors made speeches. There was a lengthy discussion on the vexed question of weeds, in fact, most of the time of the meeting was taken up by this business.

Grand Scotch Concert.

We wish to call the attention of our readers to the Grand Scotch Concert that is to take place in the L.O.O.F. Hall, on Saturday, Dec. 12th, at 7-45 p.m. with a dance afterwards. The McDonald Highlanders, it will be remembered, visited Crossfield last year when the hall was packed, and every item was greatly appreciated. Following is the programme:

Bag Pipe Selection - "Piper A. McDonald
Pianoforte Selection - "Scottish Airs
Marie McDonald
Scotch Reel - "Marie McDonald, Mary McDonald, Theresa Fortier, Beatrice Fortier
Song - "Selected - "Marie McDonald
Sword Dance - "Marie Fortier
Song "The Little Milliner," T. Fortier
Sleazem Trees - "Beatrice Fortier
Recitation - "A Western Lawyer's Plea Against the Fact," Marie McDonald
Irish Reel - "Marie Fortier, Mary McDonald, Theresa Fortier and Beatrice Fortier
Song - "Mother Macarena," Marie McDonald
Song - "I'd do as Much for You," Mary McDonald and Theresa Fortier
Highland Fling - "Marie McDonald
Song - "Ware the Red, Red Roses Grow," Marie Fortier and McDonald
Monologue - "Selected - "Theresa Fortier
Sailor's Hornpipe - "Beatrice Fortier
Song - "Selected - "Theresa Fortier
Pianoforte Selection - "Patriotic Airs," Marie McDonald.
"God Save the King."

Auction Sales.

Unreserved Auction Sales

At the ALBERTA STOCK YARDS, CALGARY, ON TUESDAY, DECEMBER 10th, 1914, At 1 o'clock sharp.

Instructed by Mr. A. K. Tennant of Gleichen, who has been instructed to join his Regiment in the Old Country, I will sell the undermentioned, absolutely without reserve:-

270 Head of Extra Good Range Cattle.
Comprising:- 5 Carloads of Choice Range Cows.

7 Cows of 1 & 2 year old Steers & Heifers.
Note:-The above cattle are an extra good bunch of Shorthorn and Hereford breeding, and are being brought to Calgary from Mr. Tennant's winter pasture near Okotoks for the convenience of purchasers.
Terms:-CASH.

AT OLD WEST BARN, GLEICHEN (for the convenience of customers) WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 16th, 1914 At 1 o'clock sharp.

I WILL SELL for above mentioned Mr. Tennant everything from his Home Ranch, including:-

26 HORSES

63 CATTLE

10 SETS OF HARNESS & SADDLES

5 WAGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES, Etc., Etc.

The Horses comprise:-

10 head extra Good Geldings, 5 to 9 years old, weighing from 1,250 to 1,500 lbs., all well broke and serviceably sound.

10 Head of First-class SADDLE HORSES

The Cattle comprise:-

3 Extra Good Dairy Cows (just fresh)

1 Pure bred Hereford Bull

20 Head of Good Range Cows

20 Head of Good Suckling Calves

21 Head of Exceptionally Good yearling Steers and Heifers.

Note:-Everything is exactly as above described and has to be sold to the highest bidder, as Mr. Tennant sails on the 20th inst. The above cattle, I think, are one of the best bunches that has ever been exposed for sale by Auction in Alberta.

Terms:-Cash for all the Cattle, 1/2 cash for the Horses and Wagons, the balance in joint Bankable Note bearing interest at 8 per cent. for 6 months. 5 per cent. discount for cash.

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SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties:-Six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties:-Six months' residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent; also 60 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchase homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties:-Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate fifty acres and erect a house worth \$200.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby or stony land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. COBY, C.M.G.,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior
N.B.-Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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